

THE MONETT TIMES.

SUPPLEMENT

December 17, 1909

CHURCH DEDICATED

The Waldensian Presbyterian Church Dedicated Sunday With Appropriate Ceremonies

The new concrete block Waldensian church erected two miles south of Monett was dedicated Sunday morning with appropriate and impressive ceremonies.

The ceremonies were conducted by Dr. Hill of Kansas City, synodical missionary of this Presbytery, and Dr. Geo. H. Williamson of Joplin, late pastor of the Monett Presbyterian church, assisted by the pastor, Rev. James G. Knotter.

The sermon was delivered by Dr. Hill from the text found in the last half of verse 17 of the 28th chapter of Genesis. The scripture readings were from Genesis 28 and John 4.

At the close of the sermon a collection was taken and the church was declared by Dr. Williamson to be free of debt and ready for dedication and the keys of the fine edifice were turned over to the trustees of the church. The dedicatory services were conducted by Dr. Hill.

At the close of the morning service the ladies of the church served a sumptuous repast in the basement of the church to which all were invited and many responded.

Services were again held in the afternoon and at night. Dr. H. D. Hunter, of Monett Presbyterian church delivered the principal address of the afternoon and Dr. Williamson preached at night.

The church is the only one of a foreign tongue in this presbytery and the preaching is in English and French on alternate Sundays. The church was organized in 1876 and was received into the Presbytery September 23, 1876. The pastor, Rev. James G. Knotter, is now serving his second pastorate, having returned to this charge two years ago. They have now a membership of 72, a beautiful church building, with commodious basement, furnace, and acetylene lighting plant and a good parsonage.

The officers are: Elders—E. Arnaud, D. P. Courdin, J. J. Reynaud. Trustees and Deacons—Emil Combe, J. P. S. Planchon, P. C. Steblar, Treasurer, P. C. Steblar; Sunday School Superintendent, J. P. S. Planchon.

The music was excellent and was rendered by a well trained choir of young ladies and gentlemen.

At the evening service Dr. Williamson delivered a powerful sermon, which so stirred the people present that twenty-one professed conversion. It was a wonderful experience.

THE BLOOD OF THE MARTYRS

It is an old saying that the blood of the martyrs is the seed of the church and the phrase embodies an important truth. The punishment of one who is not a criminal but merely the representative of a righteous sentiment is sure to strengthen the sentiment. If Mr. Gompers and his associates are imprisoned they can well afford to endure it with patience because they could not in any other way advance their cause so much in so short a time. Prisons were not intended for those who battle for human rights and the use of them for such a purpose reacts against the persecutors and, in the end, hastens justice.—Commoner.

Made Settlement

It is reported that the Frisco has settled with Ira Gillett, giving him \$8,000. He had begun suit through his attorney F. P. Sizer for \$20,000 for damages sustained in a wreck some time ago.

63,335 OKLAHOMANS WANT CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Guthrie, Ok., Dec. 11.—Initiative petitions containing 63,335 names, gotten up by the Federation of Commercial Clubs of the state, praying for a vote on an amendment to the constitution of Oklahoma giving railroads authority to acquire or build additional lines and to secure right-of-way by condemnation proceedings, were filed with the secretary of state today. The petitioners represent every county in the state and number 25,833 above the legal requirements.

Governor Haskell declined to state whether a special election would be called in response to the initiative petitions.

Purdy News

From The Guide.

The concrete blocks for W. J. Smith's new building arrived a few days ago.

Mrs. Fulton Smith has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Boucher this week.

Joseph Carbone has moved his family here from Monett and occupies the Henderson building where he has opened up a shoe shop.

James Waltrip and daughter, Miss Bessie, of Memphis, Tenn., came in Sunday night on a visit to his mother and other relatives.

Jas. McCary and wife will accompany Dr. and Mrs. McCall of Exeter, to Texas soon where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

W. C. Pope and family moved to Webb City Monday where they will spend the winter. He will continue to look after the Purdy mines occasionally.

Geo. Russell has the misfortune to get his right leg broken Saturday evening. Dr. Horton reduced the fracture. George is now preambulating on a pair of crutches.

FAIRVIEW.

Everyone keeps up a good fire these cold days.

Died December 8, 1909 the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Grippka, aged 2½ years. Membranous croup was thought to have been the cause of her death. She was only sick a few hours. Mr. and Mrs. Grippka have the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in this their sad bereavement. Funeral services were held at Peirce City Thursday.

Ed Russell butchered Wednesday.

Miss Fannie Gaydou visited her sister, Mrs. Katie Russell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baumgartner of Goodland, Kan., are visiting Mrs. T. K. Whaley.

G. W. Means is suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan are the happy parents of a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McNany visited her sister, Mrs. John Logan Wednesday.

Everybody is busy keeping warm these days so items are scarce.

PANSY.

REBEKAH ELECTION

The Rebekahs held their annual election of officers Monday evening. The following were elected: N. G., Mrs. Julia Brown; V. G., Miss May Randolph; Rec. Sec., Miss Blanche Clutter; Fin. Sec., Mrs. C. H. Ring; Treas., Miss Olla Draper.

The installation will probably take place the first week in January.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The following officers of Harmony Commandery No. 58 were elected Friday night:

D. S. Mayhew, Eminent Commander.
J. W. Copeland, Generalissimo.
S. J. Douthitt, Captain General.
J. J. Davis, Senior Warden.
J. W. Wells, Junior Warden.
T. R. Hopkins, Prelate.
L. A. Mason, Treasurer.
Clark Kellogg, Recorder.

FUNERAL SERVICES

The funeral services for T. L. Collacott will be held at the Episcopal church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. O'Meara, of Carthage, will conduct the services.

Interment will be made in the Odd Fellows cemetery the B. of L. F. and E. having charge of the service at the grave.

T. L. Collacott was born at Mifflin, Wis., January 8, 1860. He died from injuries received in a wreck at Peirce City December 9, while on his way to the Frisco hospital at Springfield. He was almost fifty years of age and had been an engineer on the Frisco for a number of years.

The body was brought to Monett Friday evening and taken immediately to the home on Eighth street.

The deceased leaves a wife and one young son, Allan. His aged mother is living at Mifflin, Wis., and his only brother at Wiggins, Colo. Other relatives live at a distance. None of them could arrive in time for the funeral.

The death of Mr. Collacott has cast a gloom over the community and his family have the deep sympathy of all.

Notice of Trustee's Sale

Whereas C. I. Williams and Wilia A. Williams his wife by their certain deed of trust dated the 16th day of January 1907 and recorded in the recorder's office in book 40 at page 171 conveyed to P. H. Attaway Trustee, the following described real estate situate lying and being in the County of Barry and the state of Missouri to wit: the south west quarter of the south east quarter of section twenty (20) of Township twenty-five (25) of range twenty-six (26) containing 40 acres more or less to secure the payment of a certain promissory note therein described as well as the interest thereon and the costs of executing the trust therein described and whereas the interest on said note has not been paid the legal holder of said note has declared the whole sum due and payable.

And whereas the trustee therein named P. H. Attaway has refused to serve as such trustee and the legal holder of said note has requested the undersigned M. E. Newman sheriff of Barry County Missouri, to act as said trustee in his place and stead, now, therefore I, M. E. Newman Sheriff as aforesaid at the request of the legal holder of said note will on Monday the 10th day of January 1910 in accordance with the powers vested in me by said deed of trust proceed to sell the above described real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in the City of Cassville, Barry County Missouri between the hours of Nine o'clock in the forenoon and Five (5) o'clock in the afternoon of that day for the purpose of paying said note interest and costs of sale.

M. E. NEWMAN
Sheriff of Barry County Missouri and acting trustee.

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L. A. TO O. R. C.

The Ladies Auxilliary to the Order of Railway Conductors elected officers Wednesday as follows:—Mrs. Harry Kirk, president; Mrs. Ed. Mahoney, vice president; Mrs. W. W. Campbell, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Mat Butler, S. S.; Mrs. A. W. Wightman, J. S. The installation will take place the first meeting in January.

Mrs. J. T. Wilkerson took her card from the Monett order and will join as a charter member in an auxilliary to be established at Ft. Smith, Ark., some time soon.

J. W. KIRCHNER DEAD

J. W. Kirchner died at his home in Forest Park Sunday evening at 4 o'clock after a long illness with stomach trouble.

The funeral will be held at the home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Kirchner was a gardener for many years and delivered vegetables in Monett and was well known and highly esteemed, all over the city. He leaves a wife a son and two daughters.

Ebenezer.

Items are scarce this week. With almost zero weather for the first winter, it makes us all want to stay indoors.

Owing to the sudden change of weather there was no Sunday school at Ebenezer Sunday.

The singing school at Liberty has almost drawn to a close. Much good has been accomplished along that line by those who took an interest. Music is something we should not neglect for good music is the life of any service.

Pie suppers and rabbit hunting is the order of the day.

The protracted meeting will commence at Liberty Sunday. Rev. L. A. Smith will assist in the preaching. We bespeak for them a good meeting.

Alfred Henbest of Cassville, has purchased the J. V. Haugha- about place and expects to move onto it soon. He comes highly recommended as a citizen and neighbor and we welcome them in our midst.

Mrs. Frank House and oldest son are visiting in Illinois.

There was an old-time foot washing at Andy Armstrong's Wednesday night conducted by Evangelist Rev. Cox.

Messrs. Oliver and Willie Ethridge returned last week from a short stay in the great sugar beet regions of Colorado. The only way you can keep a man away from Missouri is to put him in the penitentiary.

Wm. Miller and family visited B. C. Wolfe and family Sunday.

Carl Wolfe has been taking a lay-off on account of a bruised foot.

A number of people had planned to surprise Grandma Duncan Sunday, it being her 76th birthday, but the weather was so disagreeable but few went.

BILLY BRINE.

Mrs. Geo. Edgar and daughters Miss Ethel and Miss Margaret went to Claremore, Ok., Saturday to visit Mr. Edgar, who is at that place taking the baths for rheumatism.

L. G. Davis, brother of J. J. Davis, arrived in the city Saturday for a short visit. Mr. Davis is United States marshal for the state of Wyoming, with headquarters at Cheyenne.

Mrs. Will Henry and daughter, of Sapulpa, Okla., after a short visit here went on to St. Louis, Saturday, for a further visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Pate Ketchum and son Paul, of Oklahoma City, are visiting J. W. Ketchum and family.

Mrs. H. Ward Day went to Springfield Saturday.

Wm. Buchner & Son,

—FOR—

Harness—First Class

Robes—To enjoy Winter Driving.

Blankets—Horse Comfort.

—AGENT—

DeLaval Cream Separator.

Wm. Buchner & Son,

203 West Broadway. Monett, Mo.

Chas. Ketchum of Peirce City, visited in Monett Sunday.

J. L. Burgett was in Springfield on business Saturday.

Mrs. Fly and daughter Dot of Purdy, visited in Monett Sunday.

Miss Anna Morris is able to be out after a long illness.

C. A. Blakemore went to Springfield Wednesday on business.

Mrs. R. Watson and family have returned from a visit to relatives at Paonia, Colo.

Mrs. Vol Phillips and two children of Washburn, are visiting Mrs. O. Barker.

Cleo Hawk of Cassville, visited his brother, R. P. Hawk and family Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Fly, who has been very ill for the past week is much improved in health.

Mrs. G. B. White and son Fred returned Saturday night from their visit in California.

Police Judge Jewett assessed J. T. Redding \$1.00 and costs for a plain drunk Tuesday morning.

Misses Jessie Augur, Lizzie Amber and Grace Saunders are learning the telephone work at the local switchboard.

The Frisco provided a special train to bring Rev. O'Meara from Carthage to conduct T. L. Collacott's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wightman and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wightman went to Springfield to attend the funeral of Miss Jennie Wightman.

Mrs. S. A. Alderson and daughter of Paonia, Colo., came Sunday night for a visit with relatives and friends.

Joe Hilliard left Sunday night for St. Louis to re-enter the hospital, his injured limb needing further treatment.

Newman's are building an evergreen arbor around their store building as an attractive holiday decoration.

Will Smithmier is suffering with a broken rib as the result of an injury received several weeks ago. He will go to Springfield this week for treatment.

J. H. Banks, State Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. was in the city for a few hours Monday. He is quite well pleased with the work here.

Mrs. R. C. Inman, Prof. P. C. Callaway, Miss Philbrook and Miss Williamson went to Peirce City Tuesday evening to attend the basket ball game.

Dear Santa Claus:—Please bring me a leather doll cart, a set of dishes, tub and washboard and please don't forget my little brother W. N. Carsen and sister, Mary Virginia.

FROM LOIS WAINRIGHT.

"A Pair of Country Kids" played at the opera house Monday evening to a fair sized audience. The play was mirth provoking and enjoyed by those who like a hearty laugh. The play is clean and wholesome.

The St. Louis Globe Democrat in an editorial regarding the Carthage situation says:

"The Missouri city of 15,000 inhabitants whose water supply has been cut off by a private company can be relied on hereafter as a convert to the public ownership of public utilities."

The funeral of T. L. Collacott was held at the Episcopal church Sunday afternoon. Rev. O'Meara, of Carthage, preached a fine funeral sermon. A large crowd of people attended the funeral of their departed friend and neighbor. At the grave the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers gave their impressive funeral service.

NEW WATER MAINS

The City Administration Working for the Benefit of the People

At the regular meeting of the city council Tuesday night it was voted unanimously to purchase at once 3000 feet of 4 inch water mains with the necessary plugs and connectors the same to be laid where most needed in the four wards of the city giving to each ward an equal number of feet of main.

With the water system more than paying running expenses, which it is now doing under the careful management of the Superintendent and the water committee, the council felt that they could with safety afford relief to the many households that are now without water facilities or fire protection.

The citizens are pleased to note that Monett has a working and economical council, one that does not go off half cocked in investing junk piles or needless luxuries. They first carefully weigh each measure and then build for permanency.

G. I. A. Election

The G. I. A. elected officers for 1910 as follows:—Pres., Mrs. J. W. Ruggles; Vice Pres., Mrs. F. D. DeGroat; Sec., Mrs. L. E. Gallaway; Ins. Sec., Mrs. J. M. Mulhall; Treas., Mrs. J. M. Smithmier; Chaplain, Mrs. R. L. Baum; Guide, Mrs. R. B. Kyler; Sentinel, Mrs. R. T. Keithley.

The good people of Carthage are getting a good object lesson of the folly of granting valuable franchises to private corporations. Their new municipal water plant will soon be in and then they will bid a glad farewell to the old private corporation. Monett is not sleeping, but just waiting her opportunity.

The funeral of J. W. Kirchner was held at the residence in Forest Park Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Kaiser, of Sarcoxie conducted the service. Interment was made in Westbury cemetery.

Mrs. H. D. Buchanan, of Kansas City and Miss Josephine Buchanan of Springfield, visited in the city Monday with Mrs. Jack Burke.

Deputy Sheriff Darb Henley, of Cassville, was in the city on business Tuesday.

Miss Anna Crane, of Joplin, visited Miss Marie Stuber Sunday and Monday.

G. G. Hess, of Ft. Worth, Tex., has come to Monett to take a position at the round house.

Dan Osborn, of Neosho, is visiting his parents in Monett this week.

Mrs. Phil Tate and daughter Gladys returned Tuesday from a visit on Kings Prairie.

Mrs. George Morrow is assisting at Tatem-Wright's dry goods store during the holidays.

Mrs. Earl Connor, of Peirce City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Williams.

Miss May Randolph is working in Newman's dry goods store.

Mrs. Frederika Geister is quite ill this week.

The Mayor has appointed Jas. A. Johnson special policeman.

Mrs. Frank Buckley is ill threatened with pneumonia.

Osman Garris went to Springfield on business Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Garris went to Springfield Tuesday.

James Campbell, Jr. is ill with brain fever.

WE ARE SELLING CHRISTMAS PRESENTS NOW

Lots of them—and putting them away for Christmas delivery. Come in while the stock is at its best and select those presents you must buy for parents, children, brother, sister, friend or sweet heart. My line is the most complete in the city.

BUY EARLY

KNAPP'S DRUG STORE